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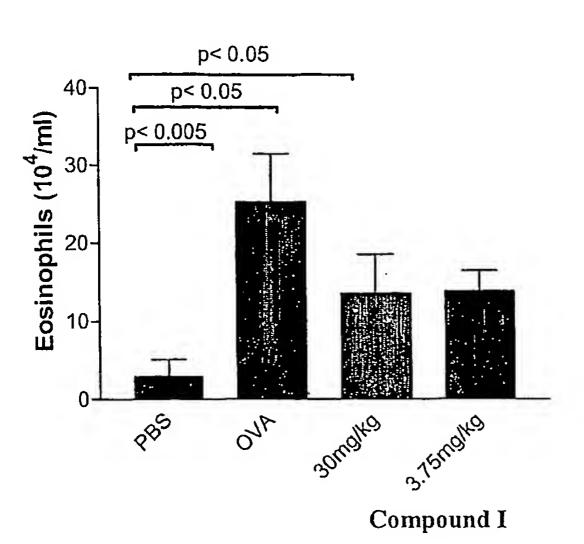
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(54) Title: USE OF A TRIOXOPYRIMIDINE FOR THE TREATMENT AND PREVENTION OF BRONCHIAL INFLAMMA-TORY DISEASES



(57) Abstract: The invention provides the use of a trioxopyrimidine compound having an inhibitory activity against MMP-1, MMP-2, MMP-3, MMP-9 and MMP-14 defined as a) an  $IC_{50}$  value of less than 5  $\mu$ M for MMP-2, MMP-9 and MMP-14 each; b) a ratio of more than 100 for the IC<sub>50</sub> values of MMP-1:MMP-2, MMP-1: MMP-9, MMP-1:MMP-14; and c) a ratio of more than 10 for the IC<sub>50</sub> values of MMP-3:MMP-2, MMP-3: MMP-9, MMP-3:MMP-14, for the manufacturing of a medicament for the treatment or prevention of bronchial inflammatory diseases.

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